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SYSTEM WITH LIGHT TRAP

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 19, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Kindly amend claim 2 as follows:

2. (Amended) The optical inspection system of claim 1 wherein the light trap comprises a cylinder with a conical member disposed therein.